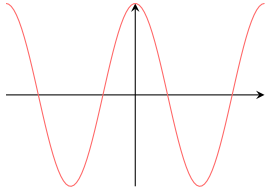


# TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

## A PERIODIC FUNCTION

### A.1 IDENTIFYING PERIODIC BEHAVIOUR FROM A GRAPH

**MCQ 1:** Is the function shown in the graph below periodic?

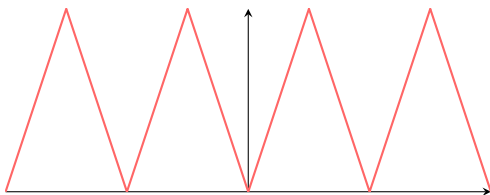


☒ Yes

☐ No

*Answer:* Yes, this function is periodic. The graph shows a simple wave pattern that repeats. We can see that the shape of the graph from  $x = 0$  to  $x = \pi$  is identical to the shape from  $x = \pi$  to  $x = 2\pi$  (and so on). Therefore, the function **is periodic**.

**MCQ 2:** Is the function shown in the graph below periodic?



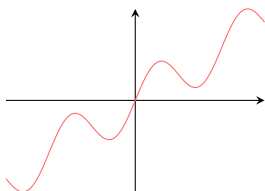
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☐ No

*Answer:* Yes, this function is periodic. The graph shows a triangular "zig-zag" pattern that repeats itself exactly. One full cycle of the pattern occurs over a horizontal distance of 4 units (for example, from the minimum at  $x = 0$  to the next minimum at  $x = 4$ ). Therefore, the function **is periodic**.

**MCQ 3:** Is the function shown in the graph below periodic?

$$f(x) = \sin(x) + \frac{x}{3}$$



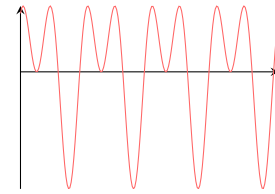
☐ Yes

☒ No

*Answer:* A function is periodic if its graph shows a pattern that repeats itself exactly. Although this graph has a wave-like shape, it is constantly drifting upwards. The function never returns to its previous y-values, so the pattern does not repeat. Therefore, the function is **not periodic**.

**MCQ 4:** Is the function shown in the graph below periodic?

$$g(x) = \sin(2x) + \cos(4x)$$



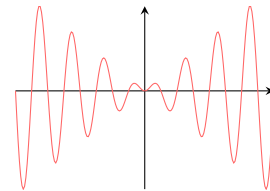
☒ Yes

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*Answer:* Yes, this function is periodic. Although the wave shape is complex, we can observe a distinct pattern that repeats itself exactly over a regular horizontal interval. For example, the shape of the graph between  $x = 0$  and  $x = 2\pi$  is identical to the shape between  $x = 2\pi$  and  $x = 4\pi$ . Therefore, the function **is periodic**.

**MCQ 5:** Is the function shown in the graph below periodic?

$$h(x) = x \sin(2x)$$



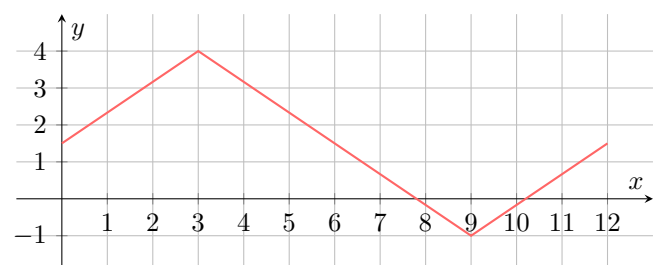
☐ Yes

☒ No

*Answer:* This function is not periodic. Although it oscillates, the amplitude of the oscillations (the maximum height of the waves) is continuously increasing as  $|x|$  increases. For a function to be periodic, its pattern, including its maximum and minimum values, must repeat exactly. Since the amplitude is not constant, the function is **not periodic**.

### A.2 IDENTIFYING PROPERTIES OF PERIODIC FUNCTIONS

**Ex 6:** For the periodic function shown below, find:



1. The period is

2. The equation of the principal axis is  $y =$

3. The amplitude is

*Answer:*

- Period:** The graph completes one full cycle from the minimum at  $x = 9$  to the next point where it would start repeating the downward slope, which appears to be after two peaks. Let's look at the pattern from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 6$ . The pattern from  $x = 6$  to  $x = 12$  is identical. Therefore, the period is 6.
- Principal Axis:** The maximum value is 4 and the minimum value is -1. The principal axis is the line  $y = \frac{4+(-1)}{2} = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5$ .
- Amplitude:** The amplitude is the distance from the principal axis ( $y = 1.5$ ) to a maximum ( $y = 4$ ). The amplitude is  $4 - 1.5 = 2.5$ . (Alternatively,  $\frac{4-(-1)}{2} = \frac{5}{2} = 2.5$ ).

**Ex 7:** For the periodic function shown below, find:

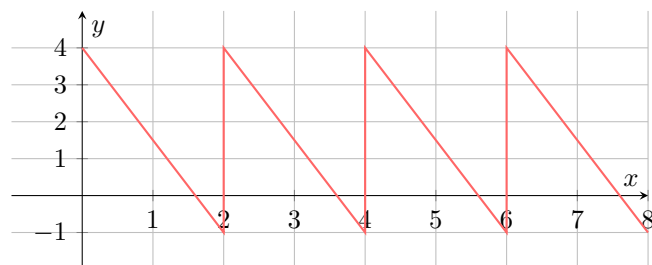


- The period is  $\boxed{4}$
- The equation of the principal axis is  $y = \boxed{3}$
- The amplitude is  $\boxed{2}$

*Answer:*

- Period:** The graph completes one full cycle from the peak at  $x = 0$  to the next peak at  $x = 4$ . The period is  $4 - 0 = 4$ .
- Principal Axis:** The maximum value is 5 and the minimum value is 1. The principal axis is the line  $y = \frac{5+1}{2} = 3$ .
- Amplitude:** The amplitude is the distance from the principal axis ( $y = 3$ ) to a maximum ( $y = 5$ ). The amplitude is  $5 - 3 = 2$ . (Alternatively,  $\frac{5-1}{2} = 2$ ).

**Ex 8:** For the periodic function shown below, find:



- The period is  $\boxed{2}$
- The equation of the principal axis is  $y = \boxed{1.5}$
- The amplitude is  $\boxed{2.5}$

*Answer:*

- Period:** The graph shows a repeating "sawtooth" pattern. One full cycle of this pattern occurs from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 2$ , then repeats from  $x = 2$  to  $x = 4$ , and so on. The period is 2.
- Principal Axis:** The maximum value is 4 and the minimum value is -1. The principal axis is the line  $y = \frac{4+(-1)}{2} = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5$ .
- Amplitude:** The amplitude is the distance from the principal axis ( $y = 1.5$ ) to a maximum ( $y = 4$ ). The amplitude is  $4 - 1.5 = 2.5$ . (Alternatively,  $\frac{4-(-1)}{2} = 2.5$ ).

## B SINE AND COSINE FUNCTION

### B.1 COMPLETING TABLES OF VALUES

**Ex 9:** For  $f(x) = \sin(x)$ , complete the table of values for the multiples of  $\frac{\pi}{8}$  (rounded to 2 decimal places):

$x$	0	$\frac{\pi}{8}$	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{3\pi}{8}$	$\frac{\pi}{2}$
$\sin(x)$	0	0.38	0.71	0.92	1

*Answer:* To calculate these values on your calculator, for each angle:

- If you are in degree mode, first convert the angle to degrees: for example,  $\frac{\pi}{4} \times \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} = 45^\circ$ , then  $\sin(45^\circ) \approx 0.71$ .
- If your calculator is set to radians, you can directly compute  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \approx 0.71$ .

$x$	0	$\frac{\pi}{8}$	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{3\pi}{8}$	$\frac{\pi}{2}$
$\sin(x)$	0	0.38	0.71	0.92	1

**Ex 10:** Complete the table of values for the multiples of  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  (rounded to 2 decimal places):

$x$	0	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	$\frac{2\pi}{3}$	$\frac{5\pi}{6}$
$\cos(x)$	1	0.87	0.5	0	-0.5	-0.87

*Answer:* To calculate these values on your calculator:

- If you are in degree mode, convert the angle to degrees: e.g.,  $\frac{\pi}{6} \times \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} = 30^\circ$ , then  $\cos(30^\circ) \approx 0.87$ .
- If your calculator is in radian mode, you can directly compute  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \approx 0.87$ .

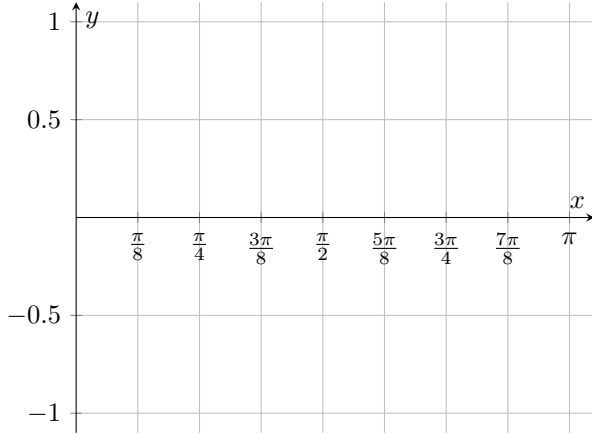
$x$	0	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	$\frac{2\pi}{3}$	$\frac{5\pi}{6}$
$\cos(x)$	1	0.87	0.5	0	-0.5	-0.87

## B.2 PLOTTING GRAPHS

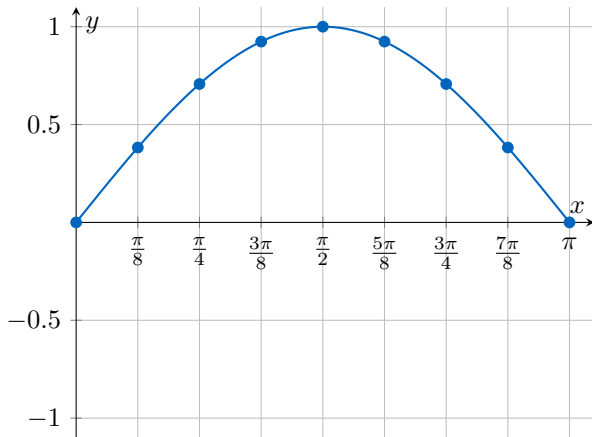
**Ex 11:** Here is a table of values for the function  $f(x) = \sin(x)$ :

$x$	0	$\frac{\pi}{8}$	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{3\pi}{8}$	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	$\frac{5\pi}{8}$	$\frac{3\pi}{4}$	$\frac{7\pi}{8}$	$\pi$
$\sin(x)$	0	0.38	0.71	0.92	1.00	0.92	0.71	0.38	0

Plot the graph of the function.



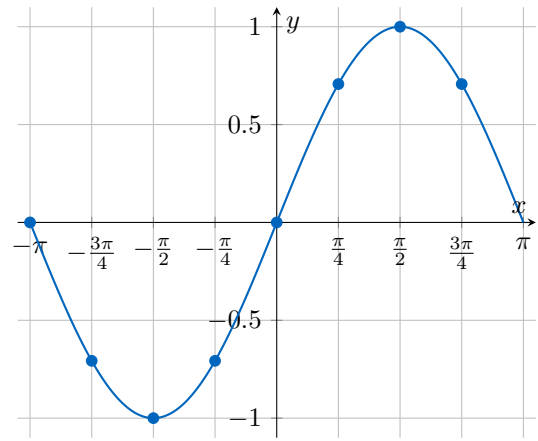
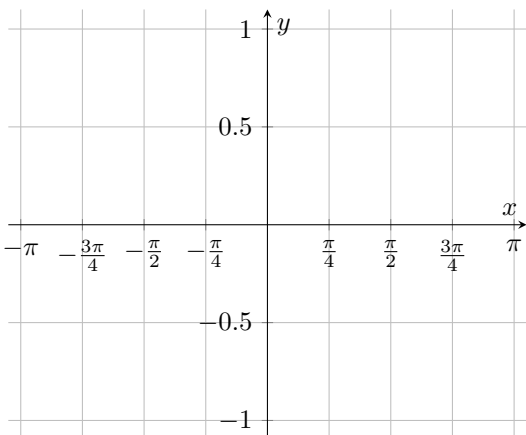
*Answer:*



**Ex 12:** Here is a table of values for the function  $f(x) = \sin(x)$ :

$x$	$-\pi$	$-\frac{3\pi}{4}$	$-\frac{\pi}{2}$	$-\frac{\pi}{4}$	0	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	$\frac{3\pi}{4}$
$\sin(x)$	0	-0.71	-1.00	-0.71	0	0.71	1	0.71

Plot the graph of the function on the interval  $[-\pi; \pi]$ :

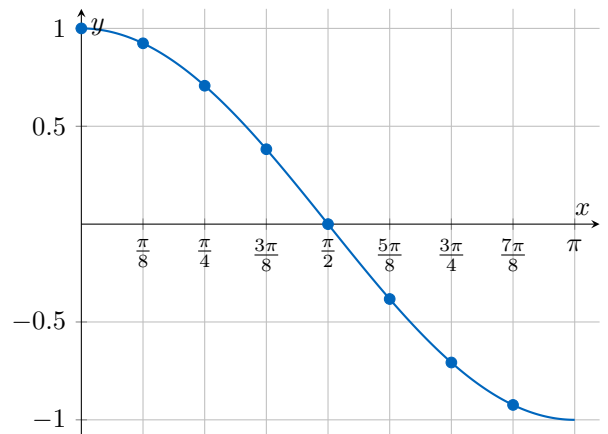
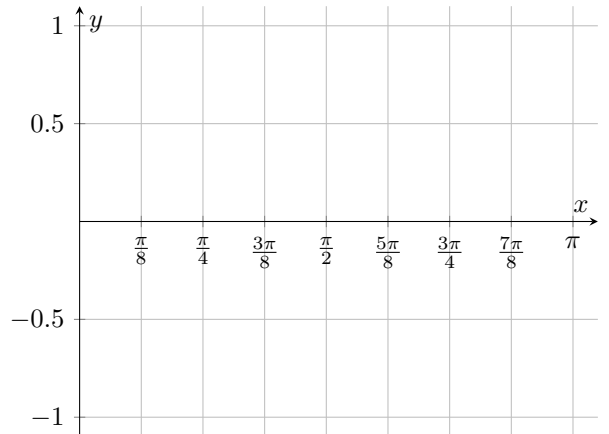


*Answer:*

**Ex 13:** Here is a table of values for the function  $f(x) = \cos(x)$ :

$x$	0	$\frac{\pi}{8}$	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{3\pi}{8}$	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	$\frac{5\pi}{8}$	$\frac{3\pi}{4}$	$\frac{7\pi}{8}$
$\cos(x)$	1	0.92	0.71	0.38	0	-0.38	-0.71	-0.92

Plot the graph of the function.

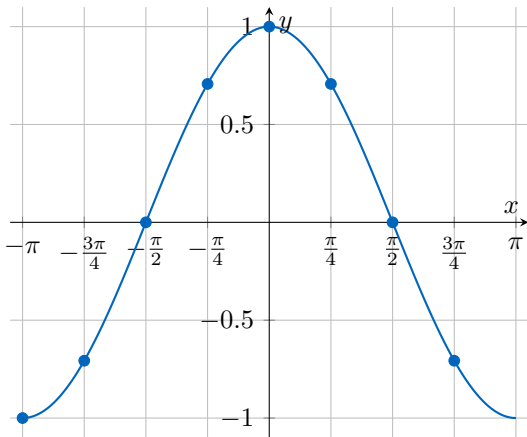
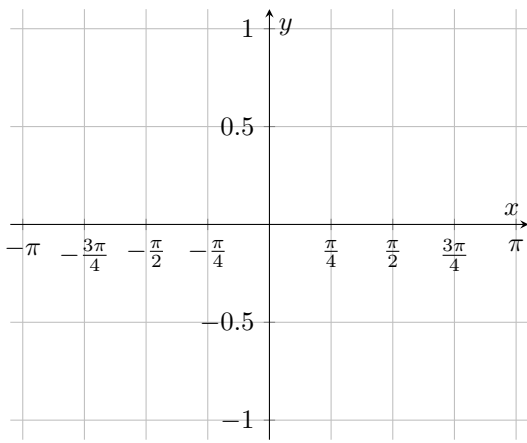


*Answer:*

**Ex 14:** Here is a table of values for the function  $f(x) = \cos(x)$ :

$x$	$-\pi$	$-\frac{3\pi}{4}$	$-\frac{\pi}{2}$	$-\frac{\pi}{4}$	0	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	$\frac{3\pi}{4}$
$\cos(x)$	-1	-0.71	0	0.71	1	0.71	0	-0.71

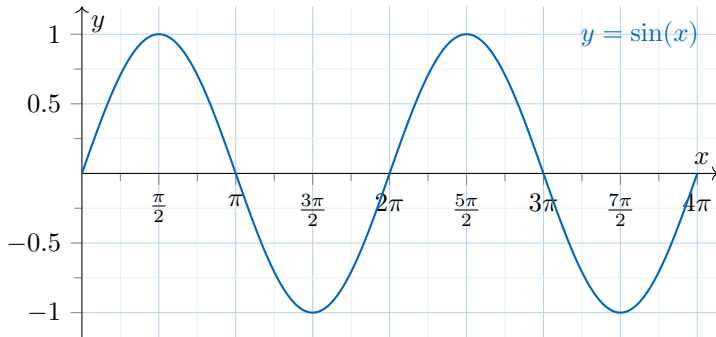
Plot the graph of the function on the interval  $[-\pi; \pi]$ :



Answer:

### B.3 READING GRAPHS

**Ex 15:** Below is the graph of the function  $y = \sin(x)$ , for  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$ .



- Find the **y-intercept** of the graph.

$$(0, \boxed{0})$$

- Use the graph to determine the values of  $x$  in the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$  such that  $\sin(x) = 1$ :

$$\boxed{\frac{\pi}{2}}, \boxed{\frac{5\pi}{2}}$$

Answer:

- The **y-intercept** of the graph is the point where  $x = 0$ :

$$\boxed{(0, 0)}$$

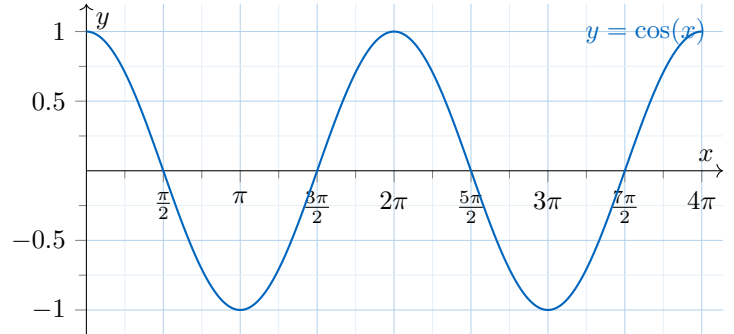
- We are asked to find all values of  $x$  in the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$  for which  $\sin(x) = 1$ .

From the graph,  $\sin(x) = 1$  when  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and again one

full period later, at  $x = \frac{5\pi}{2}$ . These are the only two values within the interval  $[0, 4\pi]$ .

$$\boxed{x = \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad x = \frac{5\pi}{2}}$$

**Ex 16:** Below is the graph of the function  $y = \cos(x)$ , for  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$ .



- Find the **y-intercept** of the graph.

$$(0, \boxed{1})$$

- Use the graph to determine the values of  $x$  in the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$  such that  $\cos(x) = 0$ :

$$\boxed{\frac{\pi}{2}}, \boxed{\frac{3\pi}{2}}, \boxed{\frac{5\pi}{2}}, \boxed{\frac{7\pi}{2}}$$

Answer:

- The **y-intercept** of the graph is the point where  $x = 0$ :

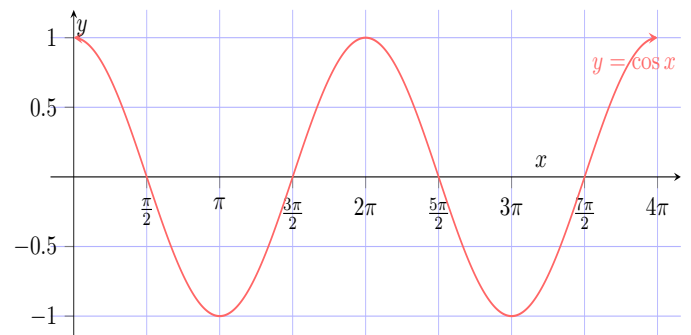
$$\boxed{(0, 1)}$$

- We are asked to find all values of  $x \in [0, 4\pi]$  such that  $\cos(x) = 0$ . From the graph,  $\cos(x) = 0$  at:

$$\boxed{x = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{2}}$$

### B.4 READING KEY FEATURES FROM A GRAPH

**Ex 17:** Below is an accurate graph of the function  $y = \cos(x)$ , for  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$ .



- Find the **y-intercept** of the graph.
- Find the values of  $x$  on  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$  for which:

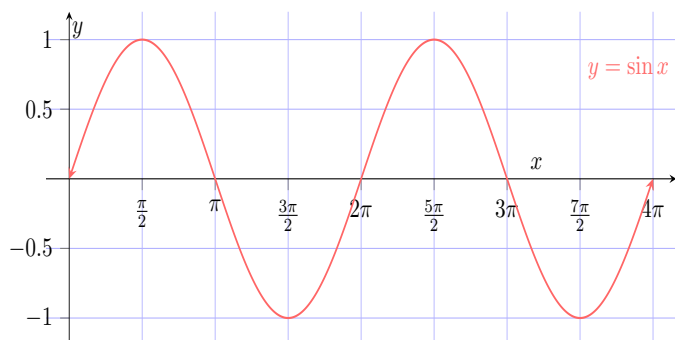
- (a)  $\cos x = 1$   
 (b)  $\cos x = 0$

3. Find the intervals on  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$  where  $\cos x$  is:  
 (a) non negative.  
 (b) non positive
4. Find the range of the function.

Answer:

- The y-intercept is the value of y when  $x = 0$ . From the graph, this is 1.
- By reading the x-coordinates from the graph at the required heights:
  - $\cos x = 1$  when  $x = 0, 2\pi, 4\pi$ .
  - $\cos x = 0$  when  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{2}$ .
- By observing where the graph is above or below the x-axis:
  - Non negative for  $x \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}] \cup [\frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}] \cup [\frac{7\pi}{2}, 4\pi]$ .
  - Non positive for  $x \in [\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}] \cup [\frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{2}]$ .
- The minimum value of the function is -1 and the maximum is 1. The range is  $[-1, 1]$ .

**Ex 18:** Below is an accurate graph of the function  $y = \sin(x)$ , for  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$ .



- Find the y-intercept of the graph.
- Find the values of  $x$  on  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$  for which:
  - $\sin x = 1$
  - $\sin x = 0$
- Find the intervals on  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$  where  $\sin x$  is:
  - non-negative
  - non-positive.
- Find the range of the function.

Answer:

- The y-intercept is the value of y when  $x = 0$ . From the graph, this is 0.
- By reading the x-coordinates from the graph at the required heights:
  - $\sin x = 1$  when  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}$ .
  - $\sin x = 0$  when  $x = 0, \pi, 2\pi, 3\pi, 4\pi$ .

- By observing where the graph is on or above/below the x-axis:
  - Non-negative for  $x \in [0, \pi] \cup [2\pi, 3\pi]$ .
  - Non-positive for  $x \in [\pi, 2\pi] \cup [3\pi, 4\pi]$ .
- The minimum value of the function is -1 and the maximum is 1. The range is  $[-1, 1]$ .

## C GENERAL SINE AND COSINE FUNCTIONS

### C.1 IDENTIFYING PROPERTIES FROM AN EQUATION

**Ex 19:** For the function  $y = 4\cos(x) - 2$ , state:

- The amplitude.  $\boxed{4}$
- The period.  $\boxed{2\pi}$
- The phase shift.  $\boxed{0}$
- The principal axis.  $y = \boxed{-2}$

**Answer:** The function is in the form  $y = a\cos(b(x - c)) + d$ . For  $y = 4\cos(x) - 2$ , we can identify the parameters as  $a = 4, b = 1, c = 0, d = -2$ .

- Amplitude:**  $|a| = |4| = 4$ .
- Period:**  $\frac{2\pi}{|b|} = \frac{2\pi}{1} = 2\pi$ .
- Phase Shift:**  $c = 0$ . There is no horizontal shift.
- Principal Axis:**  $d = -2$ . The principal axis is the line  $y = -2$ .

**Ex 20:** For the function  $y = 2\cos(3x) + 1$ , state:

- The amplitude.  $\boxed{2}$
- The period.  $\boxed{2\pi/3}$
- The phase shift.  $\boxed{0}$
- The principal axis.  $y = \boxed{1}$

**Answer:** The function is in the form  $y = a\cos(b(x - c)) + d$ . For  $y = 2\cos(3x) + 1$ , we can identify the parameters as  $a = 2, b = 3, c = 0, d = 1$ .

- Amplitude:**  $|a| = |2| = 2$ .
- Period:**  $\frac{2\pi}{|b|} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .
- Phase Shift:**  $c = 0$ . There is no horizontal shift.
- Principal Axis:**  $d = 1$ . The principal axis is the line  $y = 1$ .

**Ex 21:** For the function  $y = 3\sin\left(2\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) + 1$ , state:

- The amplitude.  $\boxed{3}$
- The period.  $\boxed{\pi}$
- The phase shift.  $\boxed{\frac{\pi}{4}}$

4. The principal axis.  $y = \boxed{1}$

*Answer:* The function is in the form  $y = a \sin(b(x - c)) + d$ .

1. **Amplitude:**  $a = 3$ . The amplitude is  $|a| = 3$ .
2. **Period:**  $b = 2$ . The period is  $\frac{2\pi}{|b|} = \frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi$ .
3. **Phase Shift:**  $c = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . The shift is  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  to the right.
4. **Principal Axis:**  $d = 1$ . The principal axis is the line  $y = 1$ .

**Ex 22:** For the function  $y = -5 \sin(3x + \pi) + 7$ , state:

1. The amplitude.  $\boxed{5}$
2. The period.  $\boxed{2\pi/3}$
3. The phase shift.  $\boxed{-\pi/3}$
4. The principal axis.  $y = \boxed{7}$

*Answer:* First, we must write the function in the standard form  $y = a \sin(b(x - c)) + d$  by factoring out the coefficient of  $x$  inside the sine function.

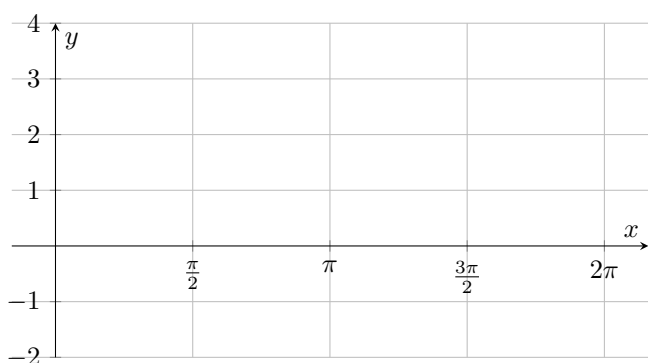
$$y = -5 \sin\left(3\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right) + 7$$

From this form, we identify the parameters:  $a = -5, b = 3, c = -\frac{\pi}{3}, d = 7$ .

1. **Amplitude:**  $|a| = |-5| = 5$ .
2. **Period:**  $\frac{2\pi}{|b|} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .
3. **Phase Shift:**  $c = -\frac{\pi}{3}$ . The shift is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  to the left.
4. **Principal Axis:**  $d = 7$ . The principal axis is the line  $y = 7$ .

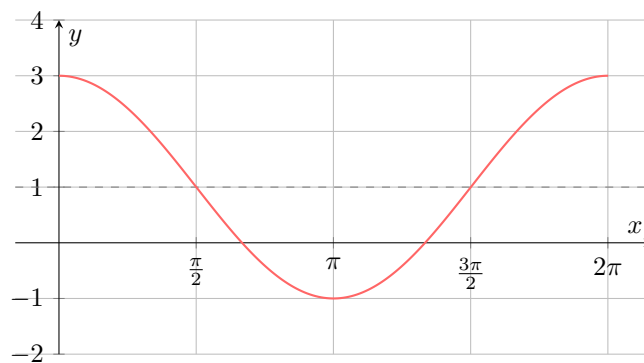
## C.2 SKETCHING TRANSFORMED FUNCTIONS

**Ex 23:** Sketch the graph of  $y = 2 \cos(x) + 1$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

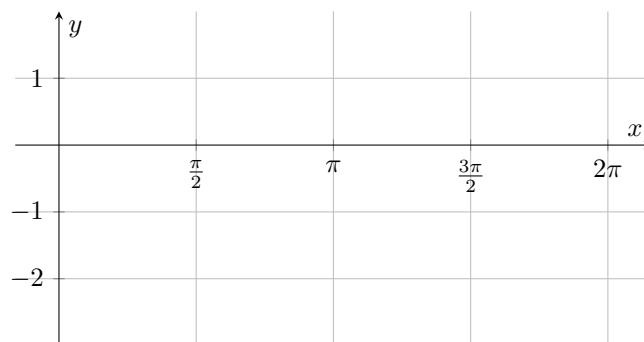


*Answer:* This is a transformation of  $y = \cos(x)$  with a vertical stretch of factor 2 ( $a = 2$ ) and a vertical shift of 1 unit up ( $d = 1$ ).

- **Principal Axis:**  $y = 1$ .
- **Amplitude:** 2.
- **Range:** The graph will oscillate between  $1 - 2 = -1$  and  $1 + 2 = 3$ .
- **Period:**  $2\pi$ .

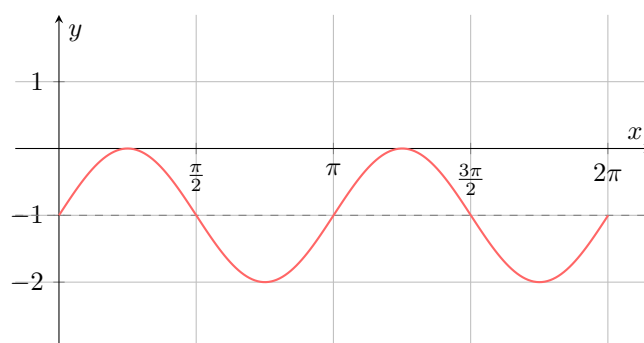


**Ex 24:** Sketch the graph of  $y = \sin(2x) - 1$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

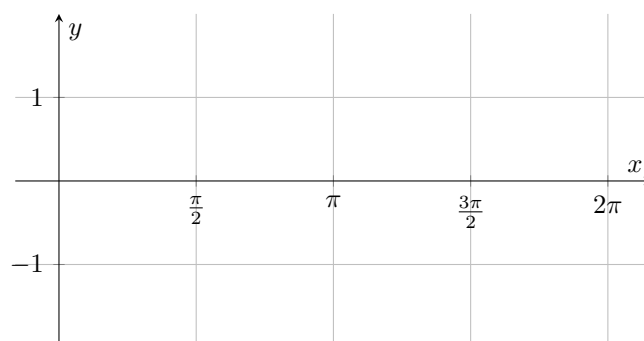


*Answer:* This is a transformation of  $y = \sin(x)$  with a horizontal stretch of factor  $\frac{1}{2}$  ( $b = 2$ ) and a vertical shift of 1 unit down ( $d = -1$ ).

- **Principal Axis:**  $y = -1$ .
- **Amplitude:**  $a = 1$ .
- **Range:** The graph will oscillate between  $-1 - 1 = -2$  and  $-1 + 1 = 0$ .
- **Period:**  $\frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi$ . The function will complete two cycles in the domain  $[0, 2\pi]$ .

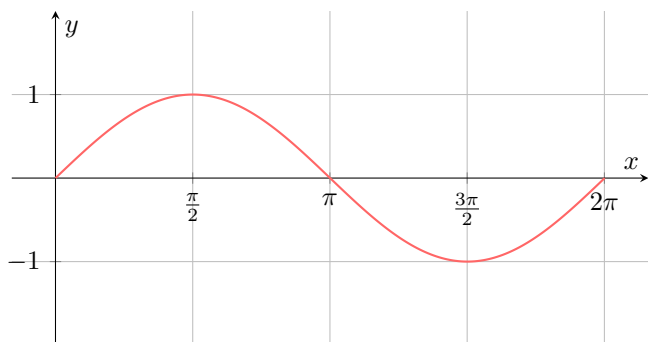


**Ex 25:** Sketch the graph of  $y = \cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .



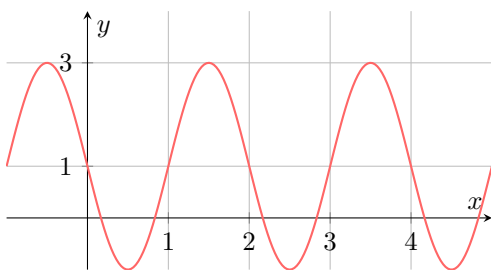
*Answer:* This is a transformation of  $y = \cos(x)$  with a horizontal shift of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  units to the right ( $c = \frac{\pi}{2}$ ).

- **Principal Axis:**  $y = 0$ .
- **Amplitude:** 1.
- **Range:**  $[-1, 1]$ .
- **Period:**  $2\pi$ .
- **Note:** The graph of  $y = \cos(x - \frac{\pi}{2})$  is identical to the graph of  $y = \sin(x)$ .



### C.3 FINDING THE EQUATION FROM A GRAPH

**MCQ 26:** Which of the following equations best describes the graph shown below?



- ☒  $y = 2 \sin(\pi(x - 1)) + 1$
- ☐  $y = 2 \sin(2\pi(x - 1)) + 1$
- ☐  $y = 3 \sin(\pi(x - 1)) - 1$
- ☐  $y = \sin(\pi(x + 1)) + 2$

*Answer:* We identify the key parameters of the sine function from the graph.

- **Principal Axis (d):** The maximum value is 3 and the minimum value is -1. The principal axis is the line  $y = \frac{3+(-1)}{2} = 1$ . So,  $d = 1$ .
- **Amplitude (a):** The amplitude is the distance from the principal axis to a maximum:  $a = 3 - 1 = 2$ .
- **Period (b):** The graph completes one full cycle from  $x = 1$  to  $x = 3$ . The period is  $P = 3 - 1 = 2$ . We use the formula  $P = \frac{2\pi}{b}$  to find  $b$ :

$$2 = \frac{2\pi}{b} \implies b = \pi$$

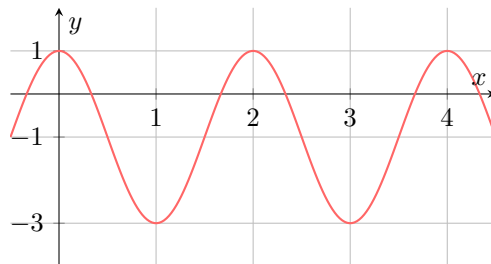
- **Phase Shift (c):** A standard sine wave starts at its principal axis ( $y = 1$ ) and goes up. On the graph, this starting point of a cycle is at  $x = 1$ . So, we can choose a phase shift of  $c = 1$ .

Assembling these parameters into the form  $y = a \sin(b(x - c)) + d$  gives:

$$y = 2 \sin(\pi(x - 1)) + 1$$

This matches the first option.

**MCQ 27:** Which of the following equations best describes the graph shown below?



- ☐  $y = 2 \cos(\pi x) + 1$
- ☐  $y = \cos(2\pi x) - 1$
- ☒  $y = 2 \cos(\pi x) - 1$
- ☐  $y = 2 \cos(x) - 1$

*Answer:* We identify the key parameters from the graph, assuming a cosine function of the form  $y = a \cos(b(x - c)) + d$ .

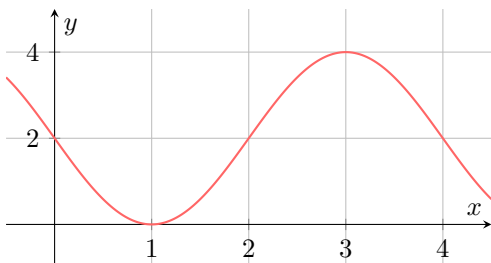
- **Principal Axis (d):** Max value is 1, min value is -3. The principal axis is  $y = \frac{1+(-3)}{2} = -1$ . So,  $d = -1$ .
- **Amplitude (a):**  $a = \frac{1-(-3)}{2} = 2$ .
- **Period (b):** The graph completes one full cycle from the peak at  $x = 0$  to the next peak at  $x = 2$ . The period is  $P = 2$ . So,  $b = \frac{2\pi}{P} = \frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi$ .
- **Phase Shift (c):** A standard cosine wave starts at a maximum. This graph has a maximum at  $x = 0$ , so there is no phase shift. We can choose  $c = 0$ .

Assembling these parameters gives:

$$y = 2 \cos(\pi(x - 0)) - 1 = 2 \cos(\pi x) - 1$$

This matches the third option.

**MCQ 28:** Which of the following equations best describes the graph shown below?



- ☐  $y = 2 \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}x) + 2$
- ☐  $y = -2 \sin(\pi x) + 2$
- ☐  $y = -4 \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}x) + 2$
- ☒  $y = -2 \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}x) + 2$

*Answer:* We identify the key parameters from the graph, assuming a sine function of the form  $y = a \sin(b(x - c)) + d$ .

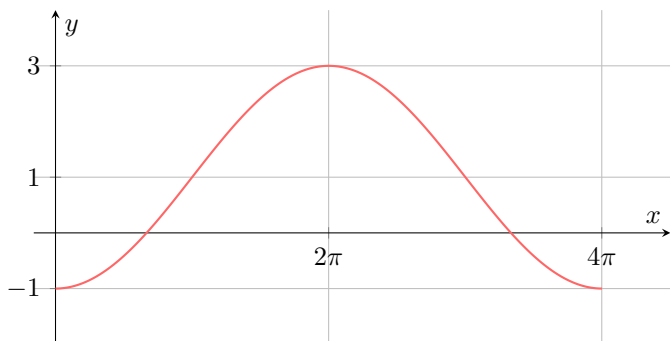
- **Principal Axis ( $d$ ):** Max value is 4, min value is 0. The principal axis is  $y = \frac{4+0}{2} = 2$ . So,  $d = 2$ .
- **Amplitude ( $a$ ):**  $a = \frac{4-0}{2} = 2$ .
- **Period ( $b$ ):** The graph completes one full cycle from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 4$ . The period is  $P = 4$ . So,  $b = \frac{2\pi}{P} = \frac{2\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .
- **Reflection and Phase Shift ( $a, c$ ):** At  $x = 0$ , the graph is on its principal axis ( $y = 2$ ) and is decreasing. A standard sine wave starts at the principal axis and increases. This indicates a reflection in the x-axis, so the value of  $a$  must be negative. Thus,  $a = -2$ . Since the cycle starts at  $x = 0$ , there is no phase shift ( $c = 0$ ).

Assembling these parameters gives:

$$y = -2 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(x - 0)\right) + 2 = -2 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) + 2$$

This matches the fourth option.

**MCQ 29:** Which of the following equations best describes the graph shown below?



- ☐  $y = 2 \cos(2x) + 1$
- ☐  $y = -2 \cos(x) + 1$
- ☐  $y = 2 \cos(0.5x) - 1$
- ☒  $y = -2 \cos(0.5x) + 1$

**Answer:** We identify the key parameters from the graph, assuming a cosine function of the form  $y = a \cos(b(x - c)) + d$ .

- **Principal Axis ( $d$ ):** The maximum value is 3 and the minimum value is -1. The principal axis is the line  $y = \frac{3+(-1)}{2} = 1$ . So,  $d = 1$ .
- **Amplitude ( $|a|$ ):** The amplitude is the distance from the principal axis to a maximum:  $|a| = 3 - 1 = 2$ .
- **Period ( $b$ ):** The graph completes one full cycle from the minimum at  $x = 0$  to the next minimum at  $x = 4\pi$ . The period is  $P = 4\pi$ . So,  $b = \frac{2\pi}{P} = \frac{2\pi}{4\pi} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$ .
- **Reflection and Phase Shift ( $a, c$ ):** A standard cosine function ( $a > 0$ ) starts at a maximum. This graph starts at a minimum (at  $x = 0$ ), which indicates a reflection in the principal axis. Therefore, the value of  $a$  must be negative, so  $a = -2$ . Since the cycle starts at an extremum on the y-axis, there is no phase shift ( $c = 0$ ).

Assembling these parameters gives:

$$y = -2 \cos(0.5x) + 1$$

This matches the fourth option.

## D TANGENT FUNCTION

### D.1 GRAPHING THE TANGENT FUNCTION FROM VALUES



**Ex 30:** For  $f(x) = \tan(x)$ , complete the table of values (rounded to 2 decimal places).

$x$	0	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{\pi}{3}$
$\tan(x)$	0	0.58	1	1.73

**Answer:** Ensure your calculator is in radian mode.

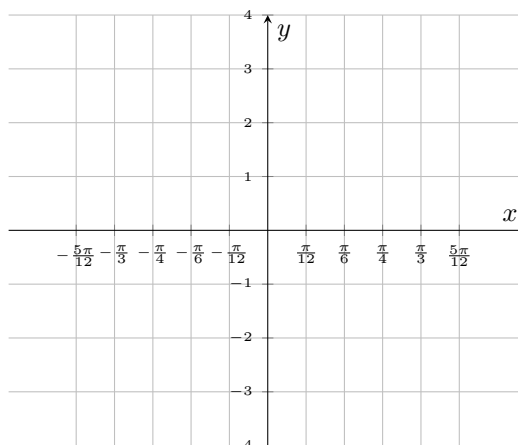
$x$	0	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\tan(x)$	0
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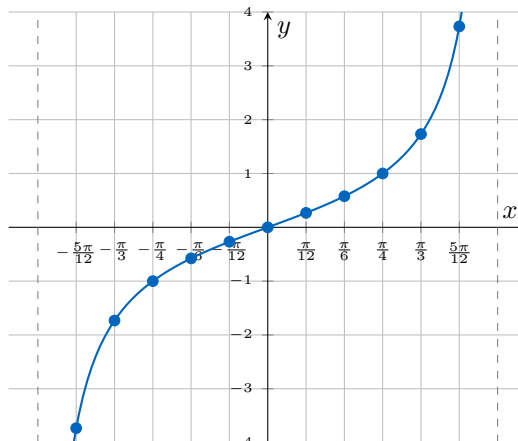
**Ex 31:** Here is a table of values for the function  $f(x) = \tan(x)$  (rounded to 2 decimal places):

$x$	$-\frac{5\pi}{12}$	$-\frac{\pi}{3}$	$-\frac{\pi}{4}$	$-\frac{\pi}{6}$	$-\frac{\pi}{12}$	0	$\frac{\pi}{12}$	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\frac{5\pi}{12}$
$\tan(x)$	-3.73	-1.73	-1.00	-0.58	-0.27	0	0.27	0.58	1.00	1.73	3.73

Plot the graph of the function on the interval  $(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2})$ .



**Answer:**





## E RECIPROCAL TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

### E.1 FINDING DOMAINS AND ASYMPTOTES

**MCQ 32:** The function  $y = \sec(x)$  is undefined for which of the following values?

- ☐  $x = 0$   
☐  $x = \pi$   
☒  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
☐  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

*Answer:* The secant function is defined as  $\sec(x) = \frac{1}{\cos(x)}$ . It is undefined whenever its denominator is zero, i.e., when  $\cos(x) = 0$ . The values of  $\cos(x)$  at the given points are:

- $\cos(0) = 1$
- $\cos(\pi) = -1$
- $\cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) = 0$
- $\cos(\frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

The function is undefined at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

**MCQ 33:** The function  $y = \csc(x)$  is undefined for which of the following values?

- ☐  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
☐  $x = \frac{3\pi}{2}$   
☐  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$   
☒  $x = \pi$

*Answer:* The cosecant function is defined as  $\csc(x) = \frac{1}{\sin(x)}$ . It is undefined whenever its denominator is zero, i.e., when  $\sin(x) = 0$ . The values of  $\sin(x)$  at the given points are:

- $\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) = 1$
- $\sin(\frac{3\pi}{2}) = -1$
- $\sin(\frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$
- $\sin(\pi) = 0$

The function is undefined at  $x = \pi$ .

**MCQ 34:** The function  $y = \cot(x)$  has the same vertical asymptotes as which other function?

- ☐  $y = \sin(x)$   
☒  $y = \csc(x)$   
☐  $y = \cos(x)$   
☐  $y = \sec(x)$

*Answer:* The cotangent function is defined as  $\cot(x) = \frac{\cos(x)}{\sin(x)}$ . It has vertical asymptotes whenever its denominator,  $\sin(x)$ , is equal to zero.

The cosecant function is defined as  $\csc(x) = \frac{1}{\sin(x)}$ . It also has vertical asymptotes whenever its denominator,  $\sin(x)$ , is equal to zero.

Therefore,  $\cot(x)$  and  $\csc(x)$  have the same vertical asymptotes.

## E.2 SIMPLIFYING TRIGONOMETRIC EXPRESSIONS

**Ex 35:** Express the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\csc(x)}$  in terms of a primary trigonometric function.

$$f(x) = \boxed{\sin(x)}$$

*Answer:* By definition, the cosecant function is the reciprocal of the sine function:  $\csc(x) = \frac{1}{\sin(x)}$ .

Therefore, the reciprocal of the cosecant function is:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\csc(x)} = \frac{1}{1/\sin(x)} = \sin(x)$$

**Ex 36:** Express the function  $f(x) = \tan(x) \cdot \sec(x)$  in terms of sine and cosine.

$$f(x) = \boxed{\sin(x)/\cos^2(x)}$$

*Answer:* We use the definitions  $\tan(x) = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$  and  $\sec(x) = \frac{1}{\cos x}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \tan(x) \cdot \sec(x) \\ &= \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos x} \\ &= \frac{\sin x}{\cos^2 x} \end{aligned}$$

**Ex 37:** Express  $\sec^2(x)$  in terms of  $\tan^2(x)$ .

$$\sec^2(x) = \boxed{1 + \tan^2(x)}$$

*Answer:* This relationship comes directly from one of the Pythagorean identities  $\sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x) = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \sec^2(x) &= \frac{1}{\cos^2(x)} \\ \sec^2(x) &= \frac{\cos^2(x) + \sin^2(x)}{\cos^2(x)} \\ \sec^2(x) &= 1 + \frac{\sin^2(x)}{\cos^2(x)} \\ \sec^2(x) &= 1 + \tan^2(x) \end{aligned}$$

**MCQ 38:** The expression  $\sin(x) \cdot \cot(x)$  simplifies to:


- ☐  $\sin^2(x)$   
☒  $\cos^2(x)$   
☐  $\cos(x)$   
☐ 1

*Answer:* We use the definition of the cotangent function,  $\cot(x) = \frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(x) \cdot \cot(x) &= \sin(x) \cdot \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \\ &= \cos x \end{aligned}$$

(assuming  $\sin x \neq 0$ ).

### E.3 EVALUATING RECIPROCAL FUNCTIONS

**Ex 39:**  Find the exact value of  $\cot(\frac{\pi}{6})$ .


$$\cot(\frac{\pi}{6}) = \boxed{\sqrt{3}}$$

*Answer:* The cotangent function is defined as  $\cot(x) = \frac{\cos(x)}{\sin(x)}$ . We use the known values for the angle  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ :

$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Therefore:

$$\cot\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{\cos(\pi/6)}{\sin(\pi/6)} = \frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{1/2} = \sqrt{3}$$

**Ex 40:**  Find the exact value of  $\sec(\pi)$ .


$$\sec(\pi) = \boxed{-1}$$

*Answer:* The secant function is defined as  $\sec(x) = \frac{1}{\cos(x)}$ . We use the known value for the angle  $\pi$ :

$$\cos(\pi) = -1$$

Therefore:

$$\sec(\pi) = \frac{1}{\cos(\pi)} = \frac{1}{-1} = -1$$

**Ex 41:**  Find the exact value of  $\csc(\frac{3\pi}{2})$ .


$$\csc(\frac{3\pi}{2}) = \boxed{-1}$$

*Answer:* The cosecant function is defined as  $\csc(x) = \frac{1}{\sin(x)}$ . We use the known value for the angle  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$ :

$$\sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = -1$$

Therefore:

$$\csc\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{\sin(3\pi/2)} = \frac{1}{-1} = -1$$

**Ex 42:**  Find the exact value of  $\sec(\frac{5\pi}{4})$ .

$$\sec\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right) = \boxed{-\sqrt{2}}$$

*Answer:* The secant function is defined as  $\sec(x) = \frac{1}{\cos(x)}$ . We first find the value of  $\cos(\frac{5\pi}{4})$ . The angle  $\frac{5\pi}{4}$  is in the third quadrant, where cosine is negative. The reference angle is  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ .

$$\cos\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right) = \cos\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

Therefore:

$$\sec\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{-\sqrt{2}/2} = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = -\sqrt{2}$$

### F INVERSE TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

#### F.1 EVALUATING INVERSE TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS AT SPECIAL ANGLES

**Ex 43:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\cos^{-1}(1) = \boxed{0}$$

*Answer:* As  $\cos 0 = 1$ ,  $\cos^{-1}(1) = 0$ .

**Ex 44:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\sin^{-1}(1) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

*Answer:* As  $\sin \frac{\pi}{2} = 1$ ,  $\sin^{-1}(1) = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

**Ex 45:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

*Answer:* As  $\sin \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

**Ex 46:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{3}}$$

*Answer:* As  $\cos \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

**Ex 47:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

*Answer:* As  $\sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ ,  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

**Ex 48:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

*Answer:* As  $\cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ ,  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

**Ex 49:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \boxed{\frac{5\pi}{6}}$$

*Answer:* As  $\cos \frac{5\pi}{6} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  and  $\frac{5\pi}{6} \in [0, \pi]$ ,  $\cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \frac{5\pi}{6}$ .

**Ex 50:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\tan^{-1}(1) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

*Answer:* As  $\tan \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{4}}{\cos \frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}/2}{\sqrt{2}/2} = 1$ ,  $\tan^{-1}(1) = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

**Ex 51:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{3}}$$

*Answer:* As  $\tan \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{3}}{\cos \frac{\pi}{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{1/2} = \sqrt{3}$ ,  $\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}) = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

**Ex 52:** Find the angle in radians:

$$\tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \boxed{-\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

*Answer:* As  $\tan\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{\sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right)}{\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right)} = \frac{-1/2}{\sqrt{3}/2} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ ,  $\tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{6}$ .

## F.2 SIMPLIFYING EXPRESSIONS INVOLVING INVERSE TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

**Ex 53:** Simplify:

$$\arccos\left(\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

*Answer:*

$$\begin{aligned}\arccos\left(\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) &= \arccos\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{4}\end{aligned}$$

**Ex 54:** Simplify:

$$\arccos\left(\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)\right) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

*Answer:*

$$\begin{aligned}\arccos\left(\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)\right) &= \arccos\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{6}\end{aligned}$$

**Ex 55:** Simplify:

$$\arctan\left(\cos(4\pi)\right) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

*Answer:*

$$\begin{aligned}\arctan\left(\cos(4\pi)\right) &= \arctan(1) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{4}\end{aligned}$$

**Ex 56:** Simplify:

$$\arccos\left(\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

*Answer:*

$$\begin{aligned}\arccos\left(\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right) &= \arccos\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{6}\end{aligned}$$

**Ex 57:** Simplify:

$$\arcsin\left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{3}}$$

*Answer:*

$$\begin{aligned}\arcsin\left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right) &= \arcsin\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{3}\end{aligned}$$

**Ex 58:** Simplify:

$$\arctan\left(-\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right) = \boxed{-\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

*Answer:*

$$\begin{aligned}\arctan\left(-\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right) &= \arctan\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) \\ &= -\frac{\pi}{6}\end{aligned}$$

## G SOLVING TRIGONOMETRIC EQUATIONS

### G.1 SOLVING BASIC TRIGONOMETRIC EQUATIONS

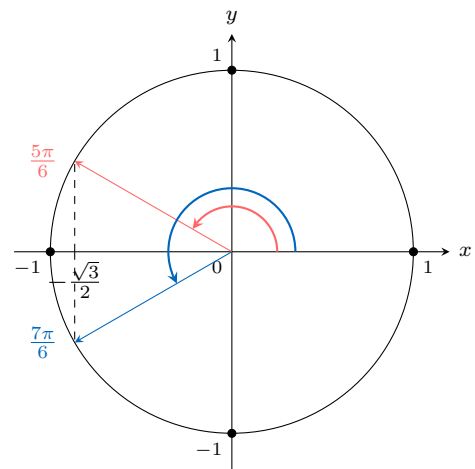
**Ex 59:** Solve for  $x$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\cos x &= -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ x &= \boxed{5\pi/6} < x = \boxed{7\pi/6}\end{aligned}$$

*Answer:* We are looking for angles on the unit circle where the x-coordinate is  $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ .

The reference angle for which  $\cos(x) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  is  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ . Cosine is negative in the second and third quadrants.

- Second quadrant solution:  $x = \pi - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{5\pi}{6}$ .
- Third quadrant solution:  $x = \pi + \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{7\pi}{6}$ .



The solutions on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$  are  $x = \frac{5\pi}{6}$  or  $x = \frac{7\pi}{6}$ .

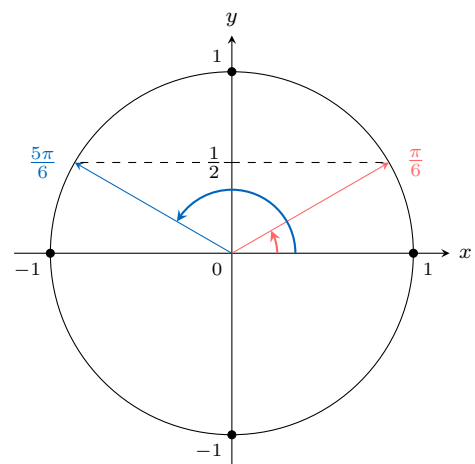
**Ex 60:** Solve for  $x$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\sin x &= \frac{1}{2} \\ x &= \boxed{\pi/6} < x = \boxed{5\pi/6}\end{aligned}$$

*Answer:* We are looking for angles on the unit circle where the y-coordinate is  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

The reference angle for which  $\sin(\theta) = \frac{1}{2}$  is  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ . Sine is positive in the first and second quadrants.

- First quadrant solution:  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$ .
- Second quadrant solution:  $x = \pi - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{5\pi}{6}$ .



The solutions on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$  are  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$  or  $x = \frac{5\pi}{6}$ .

**Ex 61:** Solve for  $x$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ :

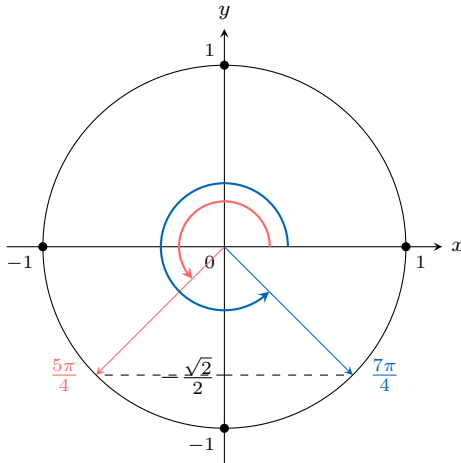
$$\sin x = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$x = \boxed{5\pi/4} < x = \boxed{7\pi/4}$$

*Answer:* We are looking for angles on the unit circle where the y-coordinate is  $-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ .

The reference angle for which  $\sin(\theta) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  is  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . Sine is negative in the third and fourth quadrants.

- Third quadrant solution:  $x = \pi + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{5\pi}{4}$ .
- Fourth quadrant solution:  $x = 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{7\pi}{4}$ .



The solutions on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$  are  $x = \frac{5\pi}{4}$  or  $x = \frac{7\pi}{4}$ .

**Ex 62:** Solve for  $x$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ :

$$2 \cos x = 1$$

$$x = \boxed{\pi/3} < x = \boxed{5\pi/3}$$

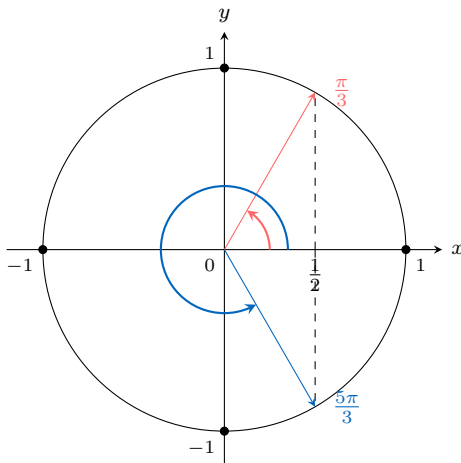
*Answer:* First, we rearrange the equation to isolate  $\cos x$ :

$$\cos x = \frac{1}{2}$$

We are looking for angles on the unit circle where the x-coordinate is  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

The reference angle for which  $\cos(\theta) = \frac{1}{2}$  is  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ . Cosine is positive in the first and fourth quadrants.

- First quadrant solution:  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .
- Fourth quadrant solution:  $x = 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{5\pi}{3}$ .



The solutions on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$  are  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  or  $x = \frac{5\pi}{3}$ .

## G.2 SOLVING EQUATIONS OF QUADRATIC FORM

**Ex 63:** Solve for  $x$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ :

$$\sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2}$$

*Answer:* First, we take the square root of both sides to isolate  $\sin x$ .

$$\sin x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

This gives us two separate equations to solve:

1.  $\sin x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$
2.  $\sin x = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

The reference angle for which  $\sin(\theta) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  is  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

- For  $\sin x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  (positive y-coordinate), solutions are in the first and second quadrants:

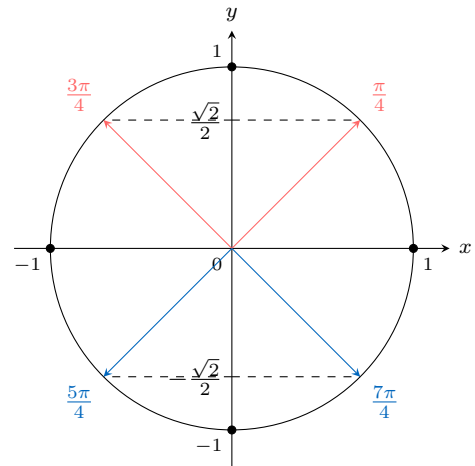
$$- x = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$- x = \pi - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

- For  $\sin x = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  (negative y-coordinate), solutions are in the third and fourth quadrants:

$$- x = \pi + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

$$- x = 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{7\pi}{4}$$



The four solutions on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$  are  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}$ .

**Ex 64:** Solve for  $x$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ :

$$\sin^2 x = \frac{3}{4}$$

*Answer:* First, we take the square root of both sides to isolate  $\sin x$ .

$$\sin x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

This gives us two separate equations to solve:

1.  $\sin x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
2.  $\sin x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

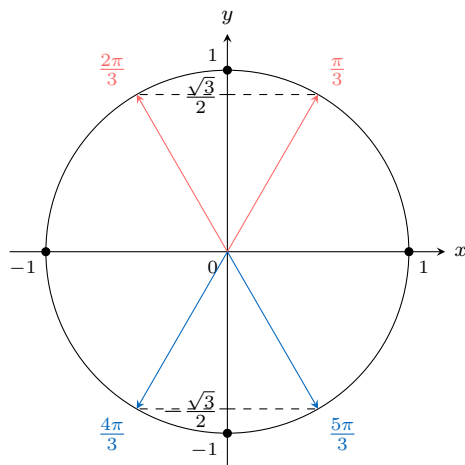
The reference angle for which  $\sin(\theta) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  is  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

- For  $\sin x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (positive y-coordinate), solutions are in the first and second quadrants:

$$\begin{aligned} - x &= \frac{\pi}{3} \\ - x &= \pi - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{2\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$

- For  $\sin x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (negative y-coordinate), solutions are in the third and fourth quadrants:

$$\begin{aligned} - x &= \pi + \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{4\pi}{3} \\ - x &= 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{5\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$



The four solutions on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$  are  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$ .

### G.3 SOLVING EQUATIONS WITH TRANSFORMED ARGUMENTS

**Ex 65:** Consider the solution of trigonometric equations.

1. Find all solutions to the equation  $\sin(x) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .
2. Hence, find all solutions to the equation  $\sin(2x) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ .

*Answer:*

1. We are looking for angles on the unit circle in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  where the y-coordinate is  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ .

The reference angle is  $\arcsin(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}) = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

Sine is positive in the first and second quadrants.

- First quadrant solution:  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .
- Second quadrant solution:  $x = \pi - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{3\pi}{4}$ .

The solutions are  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$  and  $x = \frac{3\pi}{4}$ .

2. To solve  $\sin(2x) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ , we let  $u = 2x$ .

First, we must adjust the domain for the new variable  $u$ .

If  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ , then  $2 \times 0 \leq 2x \leq 2 \times \pi$ , so the new domain is  $0 \leq u \leq 2\pi$ .

We need to find all values of  $u$  in this new domain for which  $\sin(u) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ .

This is precisely the problem we solved in part (1). The solutions for  $u$  in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  are:

$$u = \frac{\pi}{4} \quad \text{and} \quad u = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

Finally, we substitute back  $u = 2x$  and solve for  $x$ :

- $2x = \frac{\pi}{4} \implies x = \frac{\pi}{8}$
- $2x = \frac{3\pi}{4} \implies x = \frac{3\pi}{8}$

Both of these values lie within the required domain  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ .

The solutions are  $x = \frac{\pi}{8}$  and  $x = \frac{3\pi}{8}$ .

**Ex 66:** Consider the solution of trigonometric equations.

1. Find all solutions to the equation  $\cos(x) = -\frac{1}{2}$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .
2. Hence, find all solutions to the equation  $\cos(x - \frac{\pi}{3}) = -\frac{1}{2}$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

*Answer:*

1. We are looking for angles on the unit circle in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  where the x-coordinate is  $-\frac{1}{2}$ . The reference angle is  $\arccos(\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{\pi}{3}$ . Cosine is negative in the second and third quadrants.

- Second quadrant solution:  $x = \pi - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .
- Third quadrant solution:  $x = \pi + \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{4\pi}{3}$ .

The solutions are  $x = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  and  $x = \frac{4\pi}{3}$ .

2. To solve  $\cos(x - \frac{\pi}{3}) = -\frac{1}{2}$ , we let  $u = x - \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

First, we must adjust the domain for the new variable  $u$ .

If  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ , then  $0 - \frac{\pi}{3} \leq x - \frac{\pi}{3} \leq 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3}$ , so the new domain is  $-\frac{\pi}{3} \leq u \leq \frac{5\pi}{3}$ .

We need to find all values of  $u$  in this new domain for which  $\cos(u) = -\frac{1}{2}$ .

From part (1), the solutions in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  are  $u = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  and  $u = \frac{4\pi}{3}$ . Both of these lie within our domain for  $u$ .

We must also check for negative solutions. The solution equivalent to  $\frac{4\pi}{3}$  in the negative direction is  $\frac{4\pi}{3} - 2\pi = -\frac{2\pi}{3}$ . This is outside our domain.

The solutions for  $u$  in the interval  $[-\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}]$  are therefore  $u = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  and  $u = \frac{4\pi}{3}$ .

Finally, we substitute back  $u = x - \frac{\pi}{3}$  and solve for  $x$ :

- $x - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{2\pi}{3} \implies x = \frac{3\pi}{3} = \pi$
- $x - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{4\pi}{3} \implies x = \frac{5\pi}{3}$

Both values lie within the required domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

The solutions are  $x = \pi$  and  $x = \frac{5\pi}{3}$ .

**Ex 67:** Solve for  $x$  on the domain  $0 \leq x < 2\pi$ :

$$\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{5}\right) = 0$$

*Answer:*

1. **Substitution:** Let  $u = x - \frac{\pi}{5}$ . The equation becomes  $\cos(u) = 0$ .
2. **Adjust the domain:** We transform the domain for  $x$  into a new domain for  $u$ . If  $0 \leq x < 2\pi$ , then:

$$0 - \frac{\pi}{5} \leq x - \frac{\pi}{5} < 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{5}$$

$$-\frac{\pi}{5} \leq u < \frac{9\pi}{5}$$

The new domain for  $u$  is  $[-\frac{\pi}{5}, \frac{9\pi}{5})$ .

3. **Solve for  $u$ :** We need to find all values of  $u$  in this new domain for which  $\cos(u) = 0$ .

The general solution for  $\cos(u) = 0$  is  $u = \frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi$  for any integer  $k$ . We find the solutions within our domain for  $u$ :

- $k = 0 : u = \frac{\pi}{2}$ . (This is in the interval  $[-\frac{\pi}{5}, \frac{9\pi}{5})$ )
- $k = 1 : u = \frac{\pi}{2} + \pi = \frac{3\pi}{2}$ . (This is also in the interval)
- $k = 2 : u = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi = \frac{5\pi}{2}$ . (This is outside the interval as  $\frac{5\pi}{2} = 2.5\pi$  and  $\frac{9\pi}{5} = 1.8\pi$ )
- $k = -1 : u = \frac{\pi}{2} - \pi = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ . (This is outside the interval as  $-\frac{\pi}{2} < -\frac{\pi}{5}$ )

The solutions for  $u$  are  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$ .

4. **Solve for  $x$ :** Now we substitute back  $u = x - \frac{\pi}{5}$  and solve for  $x$ .

- $x - \frac{\pi}{5} = \frac{\pi}{2} \implies x = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{5} = \frac{5\pi+2\pi}{10} = \frac{7\pi}{10}$
- $x - \frac{\pi}{5} = \frac{3\pi}{2} \implies x = \frac{3\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{5} = \frac{15\pi+2\pi}{10} = \frac{17\pi}{10}$

Both values are in the original domain  $[0, 2\pi)$ .

The solutions are  $x = \frac{7\pi}{10}$  and  $x = \frac{17\pi}{10}$ .

**Ex 68:** Consider the solution of trigonometric equations.

- Find all solutions to the equation  $\tan(x) = 1$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ .
- Hence, find all solutions to the equation  $\tan(2x) = 1$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

*Answer:*

- The reference angle for which  $\tan(x) = 1$  is  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . Since the period of the tangent function is  $\pi$ , this is the only solution in the interval  $[0, \pi]$ . The solution is  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .
- To solve  $\tan(2x) = 1$ , we let  $u = 2x$ . First, we adjust the domain for the new variable  $u$ . If  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ , then  $0 \leq 2x \leq 4\pi$ , so the new domain is  $0 \leq u \leq 4\pi$ . We need to find all values of  $u$  in this new domain for which  $\tan(u) = 1$ . From part (1), the base solution is  $u = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . Since the period of tangent is  $\pi$ , the general solution for  $u$  is  $u = \frac{\pi}{4} + k\pi$ , where  $k$  is an integer. We find the solutions for  $u$  that are in the interval  $[0, 4\pi]$ :

- $k = 0 : u = \frac{\pi}{4}$
- $k = 1 : u = \frac{\pi}{4} + \pi = \frac{5\pi}{4}$
- $k = 2 : u = \frac{\pi}{4} + 2\pi = \frac{9\pi}{4}$
- $k = 3 : u = \frac{\pi}{4} + 3\pi = \frac{13\pi}{4}$

(For  $k = 4$ ,  $u = \frac{17\pi}{4}$  which is greater than  $4\pi$ ).

Finally, we substitute back  $u = 2x$  and solve for  $x$  by dividing each solution by 2:

$$x = \frac{\pi}{8}, \quad x = \frac{5\pi}{8}, \quad x = \frac{9\pi}{8}, \quad x = \frac{13\pi}{8}$$

These are the four solutions in the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

**Ex 69:** Consider the solution of trigonometric equations.

- Find all solutions to the equation  $\cos(x) = \frac{1}{2}$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

- Hence, find all solutions to the equation  $\cos(\frac{x}{2}) = \frac{1}{2}$  on the domain  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$ .

*Answer:*

- We are looking for angles on the unit circle in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  where the x-coordinate is  $\frac{1}{2}$ . The reference angle is  $\arccos(\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{\pi}{3}$ . Cosine is positive in the first and fourth quadrants.

- First quadrant solution:  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .
- Fourth quadrant solution:  $x = 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{5\pi}{3}$ .

The solutions are  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and  $x = \frac{5\pi}{3}$ .

- To solve  $\cos(\frac{x}{2}) = \frac{1}{2}$ , we let  $u = \frac{x}{2}$ . First, we must adjust the domain for the new variable  $u$ . If  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$ , then  $0 \leq \frac{x}{2} \leq 2\pi$ , so the new domain is  $0 \leq u \leq 2\pi$ . We need to find all values of  $u$  in this new domain for which  $\cos(u) = \frac{1}{2}$ . This is precisely the problem we solved in part (1). The solutions for  $u$  in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  are:

$$u = \frac{\pi}{3} \quad \text{and} \quad u = \frac{5\pi}{3}$$

Finally, we substitute back  $u = \frac{x}{2}$  and solve for  $x$  by multiplying by 2:

- $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{\pi}{3} \implies x = \frac{2\pi}{3}$
- $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{5\pi}{3} \implies x = \frac{10\pi}{3}$

Both of these values lie within the required domain  $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$ . The solutions are  $x = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  and  $x = \frac{10\pi}{3}$ .

## H MODELING PERIODIC DATA WITH A SINE FUNCTION

### H.1 MODELING REAL-WORLD PHENOMENA



**Ex 70:** The horizontal displacement,  $D$  cm, of the bob of a pendulum from its central position is modelled by a sine function of time,  $t$  seconds. The bob is released from its maximum displacement of 10 cm at  $t = 0.25$  seconds. It swings to a minimum displacement of -10 cm and first returns to its maximum displacement at  $t = 1.25$  seconds.

Find a sine function of the form  $D(t) = a \sin(b(t - c)) + d$  to model this motion.

*Answer:*

- Find Vertical Shift ( $d$ ):** The max displacement is 10 and the min is -10.

$$d = \frac{10 + (-10)}{2} = 0$$

- Find Amplitude ( $a$ ):**

$$a = \frac{10 - (-10)}{2} = 10$$

- Find Period ( $b$ ):** The time from a maximum ( $t = 0.25$ ) to the next maximum ( $t = 1.25$ ) is one full period. The period is  $P = 1.25 - 0.25 = 1$  second.

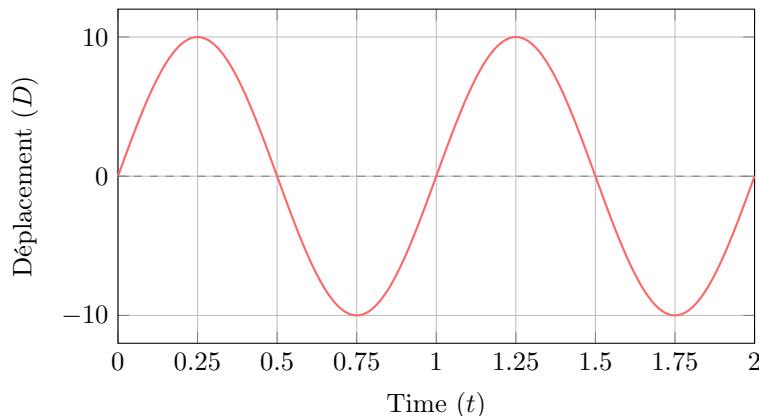
$$b = \frac{2\pi}{P} = \frac{2\pi}{1} = 2\pi$$


4. **Find Phase Shift ( $c$ ):** Our model is  $D(t) = 10 \sin(2\pi(t - c))$ . A standard sine function starts at its principal axis ( $y = 0$ ) and is increasing. The time from a starting point to a maximum is one quarter of a period. Since the maximum is at  $t = 0.25$  and the period is 1, the starting point of the sine cycle must be a quarter of a period earlier.

$$c = 0.25 - \frac{1}{4}P = 0.25 - \frac{1}{4}(1) = 0$$

5. **Final Model:**

$$D(t) = 10 \sin(2\pi t)$$



**Ex 71:**  The height  $H$  (in metres) of a rider on a Ferris wheel after  $t$  seconds is recorded. The wheel rotates at a constant speed. The maximum height is 25 metres and the minimum height is 1 metre. The wheel completes one full revolution every 20 seconds. At  $t = 0$ , the rider is at the bottom of the wheel. Find a cosine function of the form  $H(t) = a \cos(b(t - c)) + d$  to model the rider's height.

*Answer:*

1. **Find Vertical Shift ( $d$ ):** The max value is 25 and the min value is 1.

$$d = \frac{25 + 1}{2} = 13$$

2. **Find Amplitude ( $a$ ):**

$$|a| = \frac{25 - 1}{2} = 12$$

Since the rider starts at the bottom of the wheel (a minimum), we should use a reflected cosine function, so we choose  $a = -12$ .

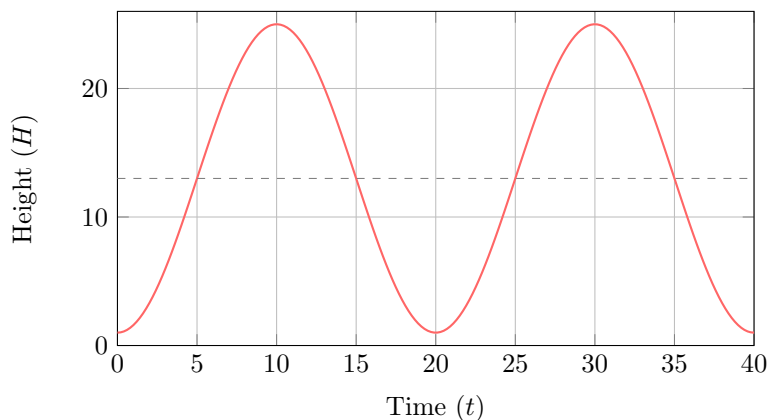
3. **Find Period ( $b$ ):** The period is given as  $P = 20$  seconds.


$$b = \frac{2\pi}{P} = \frac{2\pi}{20} = \frac{\pi}{10}$$

4. **Find Phase Shift ( $c$ ):** A standard reflected cosine function ( $a < 0$ ) starts at a minimum on the  $y$ -axis. Since the rider is at the minimum at  $t = 0$ , there is no phase shift. We can set  $c = 0$ .

5. **Final Model:**

$$H(t) = -12 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{10}t\right) + 13$$



**Ex 72:**  The depth of water,  $D$  metres, in a harbour can be modelled by a sinusoidal function of time,  $t$  hours after midnight. The depth has a maximum of 14m at 3:00 am and a minimum of 2m at 9:00 am. Find a cosine function of the form  $D(t) = a \cos(b(t - c)) + d$  to model the water depth.

*Answer:*

1. **Find Vertical Shift ( $d$ ):** Max value = 14, min value = 2.

$$d = \frac{14 + 2}{2} = 8$$

2. **Find Amplitude ( $a$ ):**

$$a = \frac{14 - 2}{2} = 6$$

Since we are modeling with a standard (non-reflected) cosine, we use  $a = 6$ .

3. **Find Period ( $b$ ):** The time from a maximum (3:00) to the next minimum (9:00) is  $9 - 3 = 6$  hours. This is half a period.

The full period is  $P = 2 \times 6 = 12$  hours.

$$b = \frac{2\pi}{P} = \frac{2\pi}{12} = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

4. **Find Phase Shift ( $c$ ):** A standard cosine function starts at a maximum. The first maximum occurs at  $t = 3$  (3:00 am). Therefore, the graph is shifted 3 units to the right. We set the phase shift  $c = 3$ .

5. **Final Model:**

$$D(t) = 6 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}(t - 3)\right) + 8$$

